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The great depression started around 1929 and which lasted until 1930s. The depression was the worst thing that had ever happened to the American people. The great depression started with the collapse of the New York stock market which took place on September 4, 1929. The great depression mostly hurt every country out there, because of their investment in the American stock market. That was a bad mistake and an unpredictable one also. Many countries thought it was the worst thing that ever happened to the United States. The Great depression hurt “tax revenue, profits and prices dropped, while international trade plunged by more than 50% (Great depression).” The ones who were hit hard were the ones that were invested in heavy industry, which is constructed and it was stopped and couldn’t start back up without a miracle to happen. The price of crops and farming droped and the demand stopped,which gave a food source no income.

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The United States wanted to become an isolated nation after world war one, because they saw too much pain and suffering. And also they spent way too much money that they couldn’t afford in the First World War. The President was thus advised to not join the League of Nations because; the United States could not handle another cost of a war and also couldn’t handle the destruction that came with war. After the United States with drawled from the League of Nations, the United States started to raise their tariff taxes, and also had to raise their own prices in their own economy from the result of the ban of cheap foreign products. They United States wanted nothing to do with the other foreign countries and that is why they did this. This turned out to be a good decision by the United States, because when World War 2 came around it put a heavy strain on the League of Nations which caused a lot of trouble.

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The lend lease agreement was a agreement between the United States and the United Kingdom which covered that the United States of America needs to help protect the British government. If they protect the British government then it would be in the best interest for the protection of the United States of America. “The government of the United States of America will continue to supply the government of the United Kingdom with such defense articles, defense services, and defense information as the President shall authorize to be transferred or provided (Lend lease- agreement).” “The government of the United Kingdom will not without of the consent of the President of the United States of American transfer title to, or possession of, any defense article or defense information transferred to it under the act or permit to the use thereof by anyone not an officer, employee, or agent of the gernement of the United Kingdom (lend lease-agreement).” This ultimately means that they will protect the government of the United Kingdom at all costs.

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The tripartite pact was signed into an agreement in the year 1940. The tripartite pact was an agreement between the axis powers who were the Japanese, Italians, and the Germans. With the signing of this agreement it was aimed at the United States of America so that they would think more than once before they enter any war against any of the following countries which were japan, Italy, and Germany. If the United States were to attack one of these axis powers than the other two axis powers can join in on the war and ultimately stop and probably destroy the United States of America. Because if the United States of America is fighting against all three of the axis powers at one time their supplies and forces will be overwhelmed with how many forces they are short compared to the axis powers. So to recap, under this new agreement between the axis powers attacking one of the following would prove to be fatal and really stupid.

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The reason why the United States was a big super power was because, before the war there was a lot of investing going around. Most of the investing wound up in the United States, because the investors were pleased with the United States and they thought they would make money by investing their money with them at the time. Thus that is the story on how the United States started to gain control. The other reason why the United States was a world power, was because they had the less damage of infrastructure, economy, and has less casualties than the rest of everyone else that was in World War 2. All the people felt that the United States was a world dominator because of this reason and that was mostly all they had. But the United States also had dominance than what the others had and that was their army, navy, and marines that served the country. These people made it possible for us to called the top dog in the world right now.